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RICHARDSON MURDER STILL REMAINS UNSOLVED MYSTERY

Coroner's Inquest Fails to Shed any Additional Light on Tragedy

RECOMMEND FURTHER INQUIRY

Coroner William Greenlee held an inquest at Bentleyville on Wednesday, to inquire into the circumstances surrounding the death of J. E. Richardson at his home on the morning of April 30 last. It will be remembered that Mr. Richardson was shot by an intruder, presumably a burglar, who had entered the Richardson home some time early in the morning and made his way to the room occupied by Mr. Richardson, where the tragedy took place.

There has been considerable mystery in connection with the case, and county authorities have been endeavoring to unravel the skein of affairs in order to place the crime against the perpetrator and bring him to justice. An investigation has been under way for the past five weeks, but evidently nothing has been learned, at least there was nothing developed at the inquest, and as a consequence the jury returned a verdict, in which they found that Mr. Richardson was slain by a bullet fired by an unknown man, with a recommendation that the investigation be continued by the authorities.

The principal witnesses at the inquest were members of the Richardson household, including Mrs. Richardson, the widow, his daughter Miss Ethel Richardson, his sons, Ed. Janecek, who was rooming at the home and Dudley Collins, who was also residing at the Richardson home Mrs. Richardson testified that she saw the face of the man, and that it was dark like that of most Italians. The man was only a short distance from her, and that he held a flash light in his hand.

Ross Richardson, I. B. Richardson, Charles Richardson and Wayne Richardson, all sons, testified as to the time they were summoned. All but Wayne Richardson were in Bentleyville and soon reached the bedside of their father. They were with him the greater part of the time until his death, which occurred about noon Saturday, April 30.

Wayne Richardson testified that he did not know of the tragedy until Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock, three hours after his father's death. He said he had gone to Pittsburg on a business trip Friday morning and returned to Charleroi, where he spent the night at the home of Mrs. Lulu Allman, 1141 Lincoln avenue. His brother Ross located him there and told him of his father's death. Mrs. Allman went on the stand and said that Wayne Richardson had spent the night and the greater part of Saturday at her home.

Testimony by other witnesses failed to shed any light on the murder and the jury returned the verdict note above.

FORBID SKATING ON STREET PAVEMENTS

The police of Uniontown have issued orders forbidding the use of the pavements of that city for roller skating or bicycle riding. Notice has been given that failure to comply with the order will result in the arrest of the parents of the offenders. The offense is covered by city ordinance, which places a fine of $5 to $10 or five days in jail. Injury to pedestrians by bicycle riders caused the police to take action.

MORTGAGE BURNED BY LOCAL EAGLES

Charleroi Aerie of Eagles, celebrated the burning of a mortgage of $5,000 on their McKean avenue property, by a picnic held at Oakland Park, Wednesday afternoon and evening. The attendance was very large visitors being present from Monongahela, Brownsville and other points in the valley, while a number were also present from Washington, including a number of county officials.

Prior to burning the mortgage W. R. Gaut made an address, in which he outlined the history of the organization since its inception in Charleroi, after which George Arnold, Worthy President, applied the match to the paper which represented the former indebtedness of the Aerie, and in a few minutes it was out of existence.

A program of sports entertained the assembly both afternoon and evening, while a splendid lunch added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

TEACHERS ELECTED FOR ELCO DISTRICT

At a meeting of the Elco school board, held on Monday evening, teachers were elected for the coming year. For Room No. 1, Miss Grace Davis; room No. 2, Miss Blanche Rikard; room No. 3, Mrs. Etta Pringle, and for room No. 4, John M. Long, of Charleroi. All of these teachers with the exception of Miss Rickard, who was elected for the first time at Elco will receive an advance in salary over last year.

Rev. D. E. C. Vichanoff, Missionary from Macedonia, will speak in the United Brethern church at Dunlevy, Thursday June 9th at 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited to come and hear this man speak. His address will be "Macedonia, my native land."

M. R. Colas, Pastor.

RENTS COLLECTED.

My Rent Collecting System is Without a Doubt Unequalled.

CLYDE B. COPE,
506 Fallowfield Avenue.

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The Ladies Aid of Lutheran church will hold bake sale Saturday June 11 at one o'clock in Haube's window Fallowfield avenue. 4-t1-*

Circulating Petition for White Way Lighting System

The Street Lighting Committee began the circulation of a petition for the "White Way" Lighting System on Wednesday and met with marked success. Seventeen of the most prominent merchants and others living on McKean avenue signed on the first day of the presentation of the petition.

The petition will be circulated for the next several days until everybody has signed or is given an opportunity to do so. In order to facilitate the work of the committee, which is made up of busy men, it would be well if every one would read the petition as given below and get ready to sign at once:

"We, the undersigned property owners or merchants renting property and our successors and assigns, do hereby agree to support the "White Way" Lighting System for the business district on McKean and Fallowfield avenues between Third and Seventh streets, also Fifth street from McKean to Lincoln avenue, by pledging the sum of 23 cents per foot per month for frontage on the above mentioned streets for a period of one year from date of installation. This sum includes all expenses covered by installation, maintenance, and price of current for first year. After the first year, it will be asked of the signers below to pay their pro rata share of the price of current and maintenance which will approximate 12 cents per foot, per month."

There will be ten standards in each block and each standard will contain a single light.

John E. Leonard.

John E. eLonard, a retired coal operator, died at his home at Library, Pa., Wednesday, June 8th. He leaves to survive him his widow, Mary A. Leonard; two daughters, Mrs. Ellen Weems of Atlanta, Ga., and Sarah, at home; one son, Eli P. Leonard, of Brownsville; two brothers, Alvin G. Leonard of Pittsburg, and Samuel Leonard of Wilson, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. Holmes Durbin, of Windber, Pa.

Mr. Leonard in company, with his father, Eli Leonard and brother, Alvin G. Leonard, opened coal mines in the vicinity of Brownsville, known as the Knob, Climax and Beaumont, about the year 1887, and operated them successfully until 1900, when they sold out to the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company.

Mr. Leonard then engaged in mining enterprises in the state of Ohio with his brother Alvin for a few years, later becoming associated with W. H. Warner of Cleveland, O., in the same line of business, and remained the active head of these enterprises until 1916, when he retired on account of ill health.

Mr. Leonard was conservative to a fault, but amassed a considerable fortune due to his thrift and exemplary business methods, and always sacrificed his personal comforts to add to those of others.

Some time before his death Mr. Leonard realized that his end was near, but he was always cheerful and happy, and said repeatedly to his intimate friends that although he had not lived his allotted time he was ready for his departure.

He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Monongahela. Funeral services will be held at his late residence in Library on Friday, June 10, at 11 o'clock a. m., new time, and interment will take place at Brownsville cemetery on the same date.

FAYETTE COUNTY JAIL FILLED TO LIMIT

So crowded is the Fayette county jail at present that the officials in charge, it is stated, may be obliged to issue orders to B. & O. and P. R. R. officials to commit to the county institution no more trespassers and loiterers for the time being at least. The normal run of arrests are about all the jail can take care of, and officials are finding it difficult to give any attention to trespass cases.

APPRAISEMENT IS CONFIRMED BY COURT

In the matter of the estate of William S. Dodd, deceased, late of Washington, an order confirming return of inquest and appraisement of the property held by him has been made by court. A house and lot in Washington appraised at $12,000, and a tenement property at McKean avenue and Third street, Charleroi, valued at $4,000.

ATTENDED GRAND LODGE AT PHILADELPHIA

E. B. Shipley has returned home, after attending the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F., held at Philadelphia. The meeting this year was the occasion of the celebration of the 100th anniversary of Pennsylvania Odd Fellowship, and it was largely attended. The celebration began on Saturday last, and the events in connection therewith will end this evening.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Sutherland, June 7—a son, Vernon Grimes. Mrs. Sutherland was formerly Miss Sarah Grimes.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garbutt, June 8th, a daughter—Emma Jean.

The Classified column is full of opportunities. Read it.

MAJESTIC WILL PRESENT NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY GOUVERNOUR MORRIS' FAMOUS STORF, "THE PENALTY."

"Blizzard," played by Lon Chaney, whose character work as "The Frog" in "The Miracle Man" will never beforgotten. In "The Penalty" he has a part that is unique in the annalsof the screen. Blizzard, the legless master of San Francisco's underworld, whose satanic hatred of humanity is tinged with the fantastic cruelty of an unbalanced mind, is perhaps the most unusual hero ever presented in a motion picture production. Lon Chaney's marvelous characterization is sure to be greeted as one of the finest pieces of acting ever done before the camera.

EXPERTS DISCUSS FEASIBILITY OF CENTRALIZED MILK DEPOT

ALLEGHENY COUNTY'S BIG ROAD REPAIR FUND

A highway reconstruction program involving an expenditure of $1,866,00, the purpose of which is to put the present highway system of Allegheny county in first-class shape by the end of the present working season was aproved on Tuesday by the board of commissioners of the county and the county controller. With this reconstruction program under way a large number of idle men will be given employment for several months.

PLEADS GUILTY TO BRIBERY CHARGE

E. Newton Newcomer, former jail warden of Fayette county, Tuesday morning, entered a plea of guilty to three counts of embracery and bribery at the opening of the June term of criminal court at Uniontown. The sentence in each count carries with it a fine of $500 and one year's imprisonment, with the discretion of the court. No date was set for imposing sentence on Newcomer.

The case is the result of sensational testimony of three jurors, who testified at the opening of the second week of the March term of criminal court in Fayette county that Newcomer had approached them relative to influencing their action while serving on liquor cases. In each instance Mr. Newcomer was alleged to have offered the jurors $100 if they would "throw" the case for the accused. The "tip" was furnished by the Rev. E. A. Hodill, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church of Uniontown, who informed the prosecuting authorities that he had learned Newcomer had approached L. B. McCann, a member of his congregation, the previous Saturday and offered him $100 in an attempt to influence his actions in the jury box. Further disclosures implicated Logan Rush of Connellsville; Edward Layton and Calcolm Ferguson of Belle Vernon and Charles Franks of Uniontown. Their cases are listed for this week.

Mrs. Robert Garbutt

Mrs. Emma Schmalbach Garbutt died at 733 Washington avenue Wednesday evening at 11:30 o'clock aged 31 years. Mrs. Garbutt, who was well known in Charleroi, is survived by her husband and infant daughter, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schmalbach four sisters, Elizabeth, Clara, Caroline and Mrs. H. J. Lindner, of Ford City, and one brother, William of Monongahela. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Jerome Catholic church, with interment in Calvery cemetery.

Flower Plants

Porch box plants and hanging baskets, roses and pansies in bud and bloom. Porch boxes and rose trellises made to order. Allenwood Pansy Gardens, Seventh street, Lock No. 4. Bell phone 266-J. 4-t2-p*

Subject Fully Discussed at Well Attended Meeting in Boro Building

WOULD BE ECONOMICAL MOVE

J. B. McKee, County Agricultural Agent of Washington County, and Prof. L. W. Morey, the Assistant Professor of Dairy Husbandry Extension of the State Agricultural College were present in the Borough Building Tuesday evening to discuss a Centralized Milk Depot. The matter was very fairly gone into by an expert who has made it his business for eight years to study nothing but milk. He named eleven towns in Pennsylvania in which milk is pasteurized and clarified in a central depot, and from there distributed over districts arranged for so that no duplication can occur in the delivery. The importance of pasteurizing milk to escape tuberculosis and other diseases of which milk is a carrier was very clearly shown. It became very evident that from the view point of sanitaton alone such a depot is quite desirable, and that from the view point of economy it is even more desirable. These two men were here, not in the interest primarily of promoting such a company as would be necessary to erect a centralized milk depot, but simply to lay the facts before the people of this community asking that we use our own judgment.

Two kinds of companies have been organized in this stage where this plan is now in operation; one in which stock is sold and the number of votes are in proportion to the stock held, and any surplus is divided as a dividend among the stock holders; the other is that of a co-operative company in which the producers largely own the central milk depot, and their pay is in proportion to the amount and quality of milk which they deliver to this depot.

It is undoubtedly true that more stringent measures will be taken in the near future to protect the public against impure milk, and that now is the time to begin to formulate such plans.

WEST BROWNSVILLE TO HAVE PLAYGROUNDS

The council of West Brownsville on Monday night took action whereby it will co-operate with the school board of that borough in equipping a playgrounds for the children of that community, utilizing vacant lots in the rear of the public school building on Middle street.

Michael Zippa Post

Will hold a meeting Friday evening, June 10, 1921 at 8 sharp in borough building. All ex-service men are asked to attend.

President.

Strawberry, ice cream and cake festival Thursday evening, June 9th, Lincoln avenue, in front of M. E. church. Tickets 25 cents. Zananna Bible class. 3-t2-*

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AMERICANS IN PRISON.

Captain Emmett Kilpatrick, the Red Cross worker now held as a prisoner in Moscow, is but one of a hundred or more Americans who are not only in Russian jails but are said to be subjected to barbarous treatment by the Bolshevists. Recently Rufus Kilpatrick appealed in person to Secretary Hughes in behalf of his unfortunate brother and the Secretary is said to have been affected to tears. "The studied eloquence of the most brilliant orator," we read, "could not have been so moving as the simple cry of this country boy to his Government to find some way to save his brother from the torture of slow starvation." Secretary Hughes' tears show that he has a heart, and no doubt he has done or is doing all that he thinks it is possible to do for the Americans unjustly held prisoner in a land ruled by by tyrannical and irresponsible revolutionists.

But are tears, feelings of outrage, honest indignation and confession of impotence all that it is really possible for the American people and their Government to indulge in? In the presence of a national humiliation, is there nothing practically effective that can be done? Is it a certain and accepted fact that Bolshevik Russia is in too chaotic a condition to be held responsible? The public would like to know whether Senator France has been given any instructions to demand the release of the American prisoners. The Maryland Senator has just gone by appointment to Soviet Russia, and we read only that he is "to learn the true conditions of its people and the terms upon which trade relations with the outside world can be resumed." But the release of unjustly imprisoned Americans is far more important than the resumption of trade relations, and there should be no such resumption until American honor is vindicated.

GO SOUTH, YOUNG MAN.

The Colombian Commercial Corporation has compiled a map of Colombia showing the railroads built and proposed in that country that is highly suggestive to Americans who capital. Of 26 cities of over 20,000 population, only 15 have any railroad connection at all. There are only 794 miles of railroad in the entire country, 146 being of meter guage, and 648 of yard guage. In the United States there is a mile of railroad for every 400 of the population, but Colombia has only a mile to every 7,000 people. The natural resources and the population are already there, awaiting only the construction of adequate transportation for Colombia to contribute her share to the wealth of the world. It is understood that practically all of the $25,000,000 to be received from the United States under the Colombian treaty is to be spent for public works, chief of which will be railroad development. There is no country in the world offering better opportunities for the railroad builder and all the other activities that go with railroad construction than Colombia.

TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

Germans are now protesting that there are not and never have been any of those "Rhine horrors" that were so widely advertised in German movies and German meetings in American cities. It seems that the stories are keeping fearful tourists out of the Rhine country and suffering hotel keepers and tradesmen are crying out with pain and range. Hence the attempt to overtake and discountenance the far-spread yarn.

The question as to whether republics are ungrateful has received the rather startling answer of a parade of 500 soldiers of the World War in Chicago bearing a banner on which was inscribed: "Hire a Hero." Did the Chicago business world blush, or merely remark that the promise to and praises of "our heroes" in 1917 and 1918 were for war time uses only and now may be conveniently forgotten?

That Baltimore story of the successful germination of morning-glory seeds found in the stiff hands of an Egyptian lady who was embalmed 5000 years ago ought to modify criticism of the Government's free seeds on the ground that they lie waiting in the lower regions of the Capitol so many seasons before they are distributed that when the farmers finally sow them they fail to "come up."

Secretary Weeks has dismissed a clerk who is "accused of ridiculing his superior in an alleged novel he is writing." The Secretary may be unable to show that he has read the "alleged" novel, but the proud author is doubtless equally unable to prove a discreet reticence in advance of publication.

"Surgery" and Surgery.

The profession of surgery was separated from that of "barbery" by an act passed during the reign of Henry VIII. By this act the latter-mentioned were forbidden to use "any manual operations except that of letting blood and tooth drawing, and the surgeons were not to practice "barbery" or shaving. This continued until the time of George II.

Joss Sticks.

Another article, of which the principal element is clay, is the manufacture of joss sticks. The wooden core to prevent breakage of the sticks and the combustible mixture is already for when the sticks are formed. The aroma is supplied by many odoriferous drugs used in the mixture.

Drainage Into Gulf of Mexico.

A comparatively small part of the Canadian West drains into the Gulf of Mexico, namely, 12,395 square miles. This area forms part of the valley of the Milk river, which flowing into the United States, empties into the Missouri river, and the latter empties into the Mississippi.

All Must Stand Together.

Once we realize that we are all one working together for the good of all; that each of us finds his prosperity and salvation in the advancement of all, then the whole business, as well as each individual, takes a distinct step forward.—Joseph H. Appel.

Would Not Be Satisfied.

Tommy had grown very tired of kissing all his relatives every night and morning. One night his mother said to him: "Won't you come and kiss Aunt Anne?" "It's no good, mummy," he answered. "She won't stay kissed."

Industry First Requisite.

If you have great talents, industry will improve them; if moderate abilities, industry will supply their deficiencies. Nothing is denied to well-directed labor; nothing is ever to be attained without it.—Sir Joshua Reynolds.

Canada's Land and Water Area.

The total land area of Canada is 3,603,910 square miles; the total water area is 125,755 square miles—that is, the total water area is about equal to one-half the total area of Saskatchewan.

TRACED TO ANCIENT GREECE

Present-Day Almanac Had Its Origin in the Kalends Used by Greeks as Records.

Far back in the days of ancient Greece it was the custom to announce the first day of the month either through a herald or placards pasted on the city walls. These placards were known as kalends, or kolendae, from the Greek, "I call or proclaim." The book of accounts referring to the days of the year was known as a calendarium. Hence the word calendar. Excavators at Pompeii have discovered a square block of marble which served the Greeks as a calendar. Each side served as a record of three months. Each month was headed by the proper sign of the zodiac, and contained astronomical, agricultural and religious information.

Tracing back the origin of the word almanac, Verstegan, the famous old lexicographer, says:

"Our ancient Saxon ancestors used to engrave on certain squared sticks about a foot in length, sometimes more, sometimes less, the courses of the moones of the whole yeare, whereby they always certainly tell what new moones, full moones and changes should happen, as also their festival daies; and such a carved stick they called al-mon-aght; that is to say, almon-heed, to wit, the regard or observation of all the moones, and hence is derived the name almanac."

"CAVEMAN STUFF" IN CHINA

Ardent Wooer Carried Off the Girl of His Choice Strapped Helplessly on His Back.

"Lah-bah," or the "twelfth moon eighth day" is always lucky for marriages. Poor people of the Anhui province in China can be sure of an auspicious day without going to the expense of consulting the fortune-tellers.

This year in the town of Liuanchow there was a novel marriage procession. A young man of twenty-two wanted his bride, but her parents are said to have thought him too poor for the girl, and demanded a sum of money which they thought would end in the match being broken off. Friends suggested he should abduct the girl; so on the auspicious "eighth" he and a few friends went to the girl's home. They were in such force as to carry the day. To prevent anything like lawlessness the bride and groom were bound together back to back and the young man was marched off, like he said, with his house child—wife—on his back. The girl had protested she did not want to be his wife, and apparently suffered, but next day things were smoothed over by friends. "But why tie them back to back?" asked one. "Oh, to stop the girl from struggling," said a friend of the groom. In other words it was cavemen stuff.—North China Herald.

Lucky Animals.

Animal mascots become ever more and more popular. Dancers are wearing little black pigs in effigy. The fisherman's mascot is the petrel, the omen of good weather. The black cat is almost universally considered lucky, but this is specially so with actors and actresses. Many of "the profession" would not dream of playing a first night through without a small black cat charm of some sort. The airman's mascot is the eagle, and a gardener will often keep for luck a charm in the form of a toad. People with gray eyes should always choose a monkey mascot. Brown eyes will find the horse a lucky animal, and blue eyes should wear a little bear charm. A gaudy colored butterfly is the best luck-bringer for green-eyed people. It is unlucky for fair-haired people to wear any mascot in the form of a snake, and a mouse charm will only bring bad luck to anyone who is rash enough to wear it.

Stupendous but Useless.

Sixty centuries ago a stupendous stone structure was built covering the equivalent of 16 city blocks, or about 13 acres. It stretched its pointed apex nearly 500 feet heavenward, and has stood through all times as a monument to the man who reared it as a colossal mausoleum to house his kingly bones.

One hundred thousand men, says the record, toiled under the scorching sun of Egypt for 30 years to build the structure. Ninety million cubic feet of stone piled one upon another combined to form the Great Pyramid of Cheops. It was a thousand years when Moses led the children out and through the Red sea.

Strange Properties of Tourmaline.

As a crystal, tourmaline is capable of [illegible] small bits of paper and [illegible] much the same way as amber. This attraction is, of course, due [illegible] electric charge.

When the crystal is exposed to sunlight of a low temperature it loses its [illegible] but retains it upon the lower [illegible]. If it has a negative charge at first, it will have a positive one when it is reheated.

Several other precious stones exhibit [illegible] properties, but tourmaline is the most interesting and spectacular of all.

Taken Modernly.

"Mother, I just took a splinter out of my hand with a pin."

"A pin! Don't you know that's dangerous?"

"Oh, no, mother, I used a safety pin."—Science and Invention.

"Loadstone."

This magnetic oxide of iron, or loadstone, as it is called, was first found in Magnesia, in Asia Minor, the name magnet being derived from this circumstance. The name loadstone, which is applied to this natural magnet, was given on account of its being used when suspended as a guiding or leading stone, from the old Saxon word, "laeden," to lead. Loadstone or magnetic oxide of iron, is very abundant in nature, especially in Sweden and Norway, where it is worked as an iron ore and furnishes the best quality of iron. It is also found in Canada.

Precautionary Measures.

"Honey, when you go to break the news to paw," whispered Miss Pinkey Periwinkle, an Arkansas maiden who had just promised young Gabe Gawley that she'd be his'n, "you'd better ask him first thing for the loan of his pistol, and when you've got it safe in your pocket tell him we're goin' to get married, and then stun him right quick with a neck yoke or something."—Country Gentleman.

Vegetable Oils in China.

The Chinese, lacking an adequate supply of animal fats, turn to vegetable oils, which are their butter and lard. In their country, as well as in India, the "cake," or residue from the oil presses, is turned to valuable account as cattle feed. The oil enters into the manufacture of perfumes and drugs, and in Syria it is used in the preparation of a sweetmeat.

Where They Tax Tidiness.

In Turkey, due to the short-sighted policy of the government, it is not the custom to paint the exterior of the average house, for the tax is directly determined by the appearance of the building, a neatly painted house being taxed twice as much as a shabby dwelling, irrespective of the interior of either.

The Ears in Dreams.

To dream that your ear is very large denotes riches and prosperity. For a professional man to dream he has ears well proportioned denotes success and reputation. To lose an ear, loss of a friend. To have it cut off or destroyed, a friend will prove false.

Our Language Again.

Ferriage is what you pay for riding on a ferry, but salvage is not what you spend for salve riding, and the money you pay for cab riding is not cabbage. Railroad tracks are for running railroads, but baby heads aren't for running babies.

The First Fan.

Who invented the fan? Eve, said the essayist. Venus, declared the poet. Oliver Wendell Holmes, when she denuded one of her doves, a fan-tailed pigeon, of his pinions. Whatever its origin, the fan has belonged to woman alone.

Curious Masterpieces.

Literary masterpieces have been written on strange mediums. Smart's poem, "Song to David," was written with a key on the walls of a madhouse. Coleridge once wrote a sonnet on a scrap of seaweed.

A New One.

Lawyer for Defense (addressing jury)—Gentlemen, remember that my client's hearing is very poor, and that's the reason why the voice of conscience has appealed to him in vain.—Houston Post.

First Worsted Cloth.

The first cloth of the texture now called worsted was spun at Worsted, in Norfolk, England, in 1340. It was first used in making stockings and worn by the poorer classes.

Self-Explanatory.

Strange manuscript found by a Wichita teacher on her desk: "Please excuse Jennie. She was sick and had to stay home to do the washing and ironing."—Wichita Beacon.

The Incorporated Vermin Repression society is making war on the rat in England. It's a name calculated to strike terror to the rodent heart.—Boston Transcript.

Sometimes They Have Both.

There are two reasons why some people don't mind their own business. One is that they haven't any mind, and the other that they haven't any business.—Exchange.

Needed a Taxi.

Officer—"Why are you rushing along with that bundle?" "It's my wife's hat and I'm afraid the style will change."—Women's Wear (N. Y.).

Undesired Honor.

A British lord has a lion named Laury. None of the versemakers seem anxious to be the poet Laury ate.—Baltimore Sun.

Temples of Wood.

The Shinto temples, says the American Forestry Magazine, are always constructed from the wood of the Japanese chamaecyparis or hinoki.

Somewhat Late.

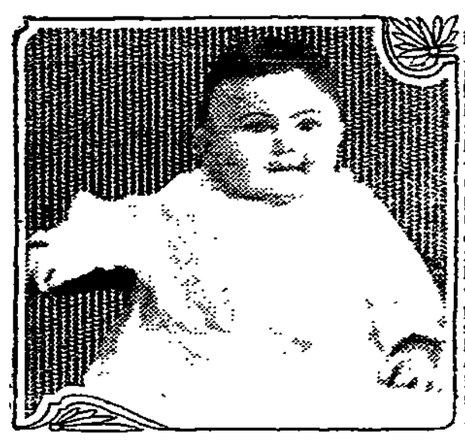
Portrait Painter (to lady customer, gazing at her critically)—Ah, if you'd only come in twenty years ago!—New York Sun.

Twine Made of Asbestos.

Twine for binding parts of apparatus exposed to fire or acid is now being made of asbestos.

DARLING BABY BRIGHTENS HOME

Children's Laughter a Pleasing Sound



Altoona, Pa.—"I am writing to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. We had six children die almost at birth. From one hour to nineteen days is all they have lived. Before my next one was born I took a dozen bottles of your Vegetable Compound, and I can say that it is the greatest medicine on earth, for this baby is now four months old, and a healthier baby you would not want. I am sending you a picture of her. Everybody says 'That is a very healthy looking baby.' You have my consent to show these few lines to anybody."—Mrs. C. W. Bunn, 701 3rd Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

Mrs. Janssen's experience of interest to childless wives.

Millston, Wis.—"I want to give you a word of praise for your wonderful medicine. We are fond of children, and for a considerable time after we were married I feared I would not have any. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it strengthened me so I have a nice, strong, healthy baby girl. I suffered very little at childbirth, and I give all the credit to your medicine, and shall always recommend it highly."—Mrs. H. H. JANSSEN, Millston, Wis.

Mrs. Held of Marinette, Wis., adds her testimonial for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She says:

Marinette, Wis.—"I was in a nervous condition and very irregular. My doctor advised an operation. My husband brought me one of your booklets and asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It overcame my weakness so that I now have a healthy baby girl after having been married nine years. I am glad to recommend your medicine, and you may use my letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. H. B. HELD, 309 Jefferson St., Marinette, Wis.

There are many, many such homes that were once childless, and are now blessed with healthy, happy children because Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored the mother to a strong and healthy condition, as it acts as a natural restorative for ailments as indicated by backache, irregularities, displacements, weakness and nervousness.

Women everywhere should remember that most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones—they are not caused by serious displacements or growths, although the symptoms may be the same, and that is why so many apparently serious ailments readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it acts as a natural restorative. It can be taken with perfect safety and often prevents serious troubles.

Therefore if you know of any woman who is suffering and has been unable to secure relief and is regretfully looking forward to a childless old age, ask her to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it has brought health and happiness into so many homes once darkened by illness and despair.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

BASEBALL!

FRANKLIN Vs: CHARLEROI

Charleroi Base Ball Park
Charleroi

Saturday, June 11, '21

3:30 o'clock p. m.

Admission 50 Cents

The Franklin team is made up of former Big League Players, and is one of the strongest independent teams in the country

See Them In Action!

SPECIAL SALE

on following standard makes:

FISK GOODYEAR
MICHELIN BRUNSWICK

30--3½ Non-Skids.....$14.25
32--3½ Non-Skids..... 17.50

Every Tire a Guaranteed First

Woodward Garage

The Old Dollar is Coming Back

Reports from various parts of the country indicate that the dollar is staging a come-back, with a promise of gradual return to its old-time purchasing power.

This is welcome news for all of us who have been wrestling with the cost-of-living problem.

It is welcome news also for the many people in this community who are saving wisely the time when the dollar will buy a full dollar's worth again.

"KEEP ON SAVING" is our advice. The old dollar is coming back.

BANK OF CHARLEROI,
Charleroi, Pa.

Use the Classified Column

Special Showing of House Dresses

So New and Fresh---and at New Low Prices

We might easily make the mistake of placing many of these dainty garments among our afternoon frocks.

This increase of attractiveness has come because women demand that the apparel of busy workday hours shall command the same self-respect as frocks worn during more formal activities of the day. These will prove most gratifying to you.

HOUSE DRESSES $1.98

Made of scout percale, neat stripes, checks plaids or indigo blue; some are trimmed with white; others in solid colors. Pretty and becoming styles.

Queen Make

DRESSES $2.98

Made of plaid Amoskeag ginghams or plain chambray. Some of pretty shepherd plaids with embroidered edging and solid red collar and cuffs.

HOUSE DRESSES $3.98

Made of fine ginghams of unusually pretty designs, with novelty effects; white collar and cuffs; some with ruffle-trimmed overskirt and pleated skirt.

HOUSE DRESSES $4.75

Smart enough for street wear. Made of pretty plaid or check gingham of fine quality. Some with panels, pearl buttons and novelty pockets

PORCH DRESSES $6.50

Ginghams in beautiful plaids, with long hand embroidered sateen collar; vestee trimmed with pearl buttons; skirt trimmed with two folds; sash at the waist.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON,

CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE

MONESSEN LOSES GAME TO ALLEGHENY HIGH

A large number of Monessen citizens were compelled to see their High school team go down to defeat before Allegheny High at Tech field Pittsburgh, Tuesday afternoon, when the classic base ball of interscholastic circles took place. These same teams contended for the honor last year, with Allegheny High being returned the winner by a score of 3 to 1. Tuesday afternoon Allegheny won by a more decisive score, trimming Monessen to the tune of 7 to 0. Allegheny was never in danger after the first inning, when it scored two runs on two walks and a three-bagger. Swetonic, the Allegheny pitcher, had 14 strikeouts, while Destefano had but two. The game was witnessed by a large audience.

BIRDS MAKE GOOD TIME AGAINST WIND

The Charleroi Homing Club had a very hard race on Sunday, June 5th, from Greenfield, Ind., to Charleroi, a distance of 314 miles airline. The birds faced a head-on wind all day long. Pete Bayen's "Pedano Girl" finished first, and his "Peanuts" second; John Vesgo's "Brownie" flashed home third, P. McQuire fourth and August Arrigo fifth. The first bird home made 1025.25 yards per minute. The next race will be from Terre Haute, Ind., 400 miles airline.

HOME AND HOSPITAL CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The Home and Hospital Club of North Charleroi met at the home of Mrs. Crise on Tuesday evening, with twenty-four ladies present. The time was pleasantly and profitably spent in sewing. It was decided to hold a lawn fete in the near future, the proceeds to be given towards the fund for the X-ray machine to be purchased for the hospital.

HEAD OF DISTILLING FIRM DIED MONDAY

Hamburger Distilling company of Brownsville, died at his home in Pittsburgh on Monday, aged 72 years. He was born in Germany in 1849 and came to America in 1867. He was very prominent in business [illegible] Pittsburgh.

Louis R. Booth, watchman at Lock No. 4, is mourning the loss of a very valuable white Collie bitch, which was poisoned by some one Sunday night. A pup also met the same fate. Both animals were prized highly by the owner, as they were pedigreed and came from champion stock. Mr. Booth has no idea who it was that poisoned his animals.

Gregory Silks

Buy Gregory Silks direct from the mill. The Gregory line contains all the newest weaves in the latest shades in Taffeta, Messalene, Charmeuse, Wash Satin, Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Canton Crepe. Write for samples and prices today.

GREGORY SILK MILLS
Allentown, Pa.

For Sale

White Touring Car, seven passenger in good condition with good tires. Would make a good truck for a Grocery Store or Dairyman. $475 to quick buyer. See it at Sixth street and Lookout avenue. 4-t2p

For Sale

Ten dozen large tomato plants, beefsteak variety. Allenwood Pansy Gardens. Bell phone 266-J. Seventh street, Lock No. 4. 4-t2p

For Automobile Insurance see Clyde B. Cope, 506 Fallowfield Avenue. 270-tf

A young English girl of socially prominent parents, being asked by her teacher what R. S. V. P. meant, replied, "Rush in, Shake and Vanish Pleasantly."

Fetters Forged by Passion.

It is ordained in the eternal constitution of things that men of intemperate minds cannot be free: their passions forge their fetters.—Burke

Kitten Would Naturally Be Blue.

From an Exchange—The bride was attired in a dark blue kitten's ear beautifully designed in iridescent beads.—Boston Transcript.

Getting It Over.

Strange as it may sound, a man can always make a hit with a woman saying he misses her.—Cartoons Magazine.

As Many a Husband Finds

After marriage [illegible] voice" sometimes [illegible] —Boston Trans[illegible]

The Dog as Human Food.

The dog forms an important article of food among many nations. In China, the Society islands, etc., young puppies are considered a great delicacy, and are sold by Europeans who have overcome their prejudices, to be very sweet and palatable. The taste for dog's flesh is of very early origin. The ancients regarded a young and fat dog as excellent food; and Hyppocrates placed it on a footing with mutton and pork. The Romans were fond of sucking-puppies, and sacrificed them to the gods.

Sweetness of Spring Air.

The soft sound of water moving among thousands of grass blades is to the hearing as the sweetness of spring air to the scent. It is so faint and so diffused that the exact spot whence it issues cannot be discerned, yet it is distinct, and my footsteps are slower as I listen. Yonder, in the corners of the mead, the atmosphere is full of some ethereal vapor. The sunshine stays in the air there as if the green hedges held the wind from brushing it away.—Richard Jeffries.

They Resist Decay.

The northwestern Indians nearly always made their totem poles out of western red cedar, but this choice was probably due more to the fact that the wood is easy to work and extremely durable than to its fragrance. It may be taken as a very good general rule that woods that are scented are resistant to decay and insect attack, and have good cabinet qualities.—American Forestry Magazine.

Kindred Likes.

Five-year-old John heard his mother speaking of her favorite colors, white and green. A few days later, John, looking out of the window at a snow storm, said: "Mother, God must like the same colors you do, because in winter He makes everything white and in summer He makes everything green."—Exchange.

Fox Can Be Tamed.

No wild animal is more easily domesticated than the fox, either red or gray, and none exhibits so much sly cunning when tamed, says the American Forestry Magazine, but they are susceptible of a very high degree of affection for whoever has them in charge.

Origin of Treadmill.

The treadmill that was employed for many years in British prisons for purposes of discipline was invented in prison form by Sir William Cubit, of Ipswich, and the power produced was employed in grinding corn and flour for food for the prisoners.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—One Estey Organ, a [illegible] reed go-cart, both in good condition. Inquire 212 Prospect Ave., Local phone 130-C. 2t3p

FOR SALE—Strawberries. Inquire J. K. Winnett, Maple Creek Lane. 301-t8p

FOR SALE—Two gas ranges, 512 Meadow avenue. 1-t6p

FOR SALE—Five room house on three lots, also stable, between 4th and 5th Street on Highland Avenue, Lock No. 4, Pa. Joe Hrnchir. 1t4p

FOR SALE—Go-cart and stroller, will sell very cheap. Mrs. Buchanan, 119 Fallowfield Ave. 3t4

FOR SALE—Two houses situated on McKean avenue and alley, between First and Second streets. Will not sell separately, reserving forty by forty four feet in the rear. Consideration $7500 for six roomed house and $7300 for five roomed house. Address Box 30, Monongahela, Pa. 3-t2p

FOR SALE—Five roomed house and 3 lots 25x100. Maple creek adjoining borough line. Possession at once. Price $3800. See Bowers & Hall, 411 Fallowfield avenue. 4-tf

FOR SALE—6 room house, level lot, all accommodations, first class condition. Price $4500. Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust Co. 4tf

FO SALE—5 rooms, bath, McKean avenue. 2 blocks from business section. Possession immediately. A real bargain. At $3700. See Clyde B. Cope, Agent. 4-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms light housekeeping. 911 McKean. 4-t3p

FOR RENT—Large front room, 1 or 2 gentlemen. First class meals served, 225 Fallowfield avenue. 4t3p

Beautiful Cane Living Room Suite covered in Velour. Will sell very cheap. Mrs. Goldsmith, 423 McKean Ave. 2t5

Buick D 46, 3 passenger in A-1 condition. Will sacrifice for $550 cash if sold at once. Owner leaving city. P. O. Box 305, Charleroi. 4-t3p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 815 McKean avenue. 306-tf

FOR RENT—Store room with fine cemented basement on Fallowfield avenue. See Bowers & Hall, 411 Fallowfield avenue. 4tf

LOST: Government check Wednesday evening between Ninth street and Majestic Theatre. Please return to 931 McKean. 4-t2p

FOUND—The lowest priced meat market in town at the Central. [illegible] 1t6

WANTED—Bright young girl for office work. Must have two years in High School. Inquire 624 Mail office. 2-t3p

WANTED—Help. Household director, laundry forewoman, waitress and house help. Southwestern State Normal School, California, Pa. 3-t2

WANTED—Washing and ironing. Call rear 539 McKean avenue. 3t3p

WANTED—Washings to do at home, 920 Shady Avenue. 3-t2p

FURNITURE REFINISHED AND MADE NEW

Our large motor trucks will call and get your Furniture and Deliver Free. Drop us a card or Phone 295-R. Reliable Upholstering Co., Monessen

Teachers Wanted

The Fallowfield Board of School Directors will meet at the Bank of Charleroi Saturday June 11, 1921 at 1 o'clock to elect teachers to fill vacancies. Applicants are requested to be present.

J. D. Jones, President.
Charleroi. R. D.
J. B. Duvall, Secretary.
Coal Centre. R. D.
1-t4

Will Trade

Fine player piano and $250.00 of rolls for good used car. See Ashton care Claybaugh & Milliken Co., Donora, Pa. 3-t6

JUST A FEW LEFT

Call and Receive Fire Alarm System Card.

CLYDE B. COPE,
506 Fallowfield Avenue.

SHORTEST, BUT MOST NOTED

February Is Supreme Above All Others as the Natal Month of the World's Famous.

Was there ever such a month as February? It would seem that though it is the shortest month in the year it has crowded into its 28 days more birthdays of worldwide celebrities than any of the other 11 months. No less than 25 people of note have seen the light of day for the first time in that month. And their range is wide. February is not partial to any particular kind of celebrity.

On February 1, 1870, Commodore David Porter was born. On the third of the month, 1809, Felix Mendelssohn came into the world. On the same day, but in 1811, Horace Greeley followed. On the fifth, 1788, Sir Robert Peel was born. The birthdays of other notables occur in this order:

February 6, 1756—Aaron Burr.
February 6, 1838—Sir Henry Irving.
February 7, 1812—Charles Dickens.
February 8, 1820—William Tecumseh Sherman.
February 8, 1819—John Ruskin.
February 8, 1828—Jules Verne.
February 9, 1773—William Henry Harrison.
February 9, 1811—Samuel J. Tilden
February 10, 1775—Charles Lamb.
February 11, 1847—Thomas A. Edison.
February 12, 1809—Abraham Lincoln.
February 12, 1806—Charles Darwin.
February 15, 1564—Galileo.
February 16, 1834—Ernest Haeckel.
February 19, 1717—David Garrick.
February 20, 1820—Joseph Jefferson.
February 21, 1801 — John Henry Newman.
February 22, 1732—George Washington.
February 22, 1810—James Russell Lowell.
February 23, 1685—George Frederick Handel.
February 23, 1817—George Frederick Watts.
February 24, 1824—George William Curtis.
February 26, 1802—Victor Hugo.
February 27, 1807—Henry W. Longfellow.

Rodents Do Much Damage.

Next to the insects, the animals that are chiefly harmful to man are the rodents, an order of mammals often regarded as wholly noxious. David E. Lantz of the United States zoological survey finds that the rodents of North and Central America include about 1,370 species of 77 genera and of these, 750 species of 44 genera inhabit the United States and Canada. Many of these, living in deserts, mountains and swamps do not come in contact with cultivated soil. They cannot, therefore, be classed as injurious, and many of them are preparing the soil for future use, and there are other rodents that are doing useful work in destroying grasshoppers and similar pests. Certain of the rodents, too, such as the beaver and muskrat, have an economic value as fur bearers. Native rodents include among harmful kinds the short-tailed field mice, white-footed mice, cotton rats, kangaroo rats, pocket gophers, ground squirrels, prairie dogs, woodchucks and rabbits. The house mouse and three kinds of rats are the only rodent pests in North America not native to the country. They are the most injurious, however, and probably cause greater losses than all native kinds combined.

The kings of Rome were Romulus, who, according to conjecture, began to reign in the year 735 B. C. and was murdered by the senators. Titus Tatius, king of the Sabines, ruled jointly with Romulus six years; Numa Pompilius, son-in-law of Tatius; Tullus Hostilius, murdered by his successor; Ancus Martius, grandson of Numa; Tarquinius Priscus; Servius Tullius; Tarquinius Superbus, who was the last king. The monarchy was abolished and a republican form of government established in 510 B. C. Thereafter for the most part the chief executive officers of the republic were consuls, two being chosen each year. There were many civil wars. The republic practically came to an end when Julius Caesar was made perpetual dictator in the year 48 B. C., but the empire is generally held to have commenced in the year 31 B. C., when the supreme power became centered in Octavius, the grand nephew of Julius Caesar, who reigned as emperor with the title of Augustus Caesar. It was during his reign that our Savior was born. Augustus died in the year 14 A. D.

A congressman said at a dinner: "I detest the war profiteer. One of these brutes bought last year a fine colonial estate in Virginia. He was showing a friend of mine over the grounds one day, and pointed to a quaint old private cemetery.

"'Those,' he said, 'are the graves of the former owner's ancestors.'

"'Our ancestors,' his wife broke in, proudly, 'are all living.'"

Still in Doubt.

"I understand you are patronizing a new boarding house."

"Yes, it has been open only a few days."

"Who's the star boarder?"

"We don't know yet. A haberdasher's assistant told a story yesterday at which the landlady laughed heartily, but I noticed that he didn't get any more butter than the rest of us."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

NEW ENTRANT AT UNIONTOWN SPEEDWAY

Jules Ellingboe, who finished third at Indianapolis on Memorial Day, has entered the 225-mile Universal Trophy race at Uniontown for Saturday afternoon, June 18. Ellingboe will be one of the Frontenac pilots and his performance at Indianapolis gives every assurance that he will be an important factor in this gruelling speed contest.

Ellingboe is a newcomer to the Uniontown track. Manager A. E. Corns has been informed that he expects to get on to the track ahead of many other entries in order to have extra time to study the Uniontown course and the famous Death Turn, one of the most sensational and famous turns in American speedways.

Ellingboe is a dirt track speed king but his performance at Indianapolis shows that he is just as adept on the speedway. In his preliminary tuning up at Indianapolis he startled the railbirds by doing the course at a rate of 101 1-2 miles per hour.

ARREST MADE ON SERIOUS CHARGES

S. E. Hines, a resident of Millsboro, was arrested late Sunday afternoon by officer G. W. Phillips of Vestaburg, and brought to South Brownsville, where he was turned over to a squad o fPittsburg detectives. Late Sunday night he was taken to Pittsburg, it is said to answer charges preferred against him in connection with a number of check forgeries.

The officers claim that a person who had been passing worthless checks in Pittsburg district was driving an automobile bearing license plates which had been issued to Hines.

Hines denied the charge of having been connected with the forgeries and stated that his automobile had been broken down for the past six weeks, and since the machine had been in storage the license plates had been stolen and that he had been unable to locate them.

It was also alleged by the officers that Hines will have other charges preferred against him, one of which is the transportation of liquor without a license.

ONLY ONE WARNING TO AUTO OFFENDERS

Fair play always, with but one warning to offenders. That is the slogan in the campaign of the Pennsylvania State Police in their clean-up on automobile violators.

The crusade has been in full swing for the past two weeks in Fayette county, and reports received from magistrates in all parts of the county, carefully collected and compiled, demonstrate beyond doubt that the campaign has not only been a big success, but has established adequate protection not only for pedestrians but fot motorists as well.

Prior to the inauguration of the crusade the highways of Fayette county were unsafe for travel, particularly for pedestrians. The round-up of some 200 offenders has placed a check on recklessness and the reports for the first two weeks of what is planned as an all-summer drive against lawlessness have been most encouraging.

Of the 200 informations that have been made against those offending against the motor laws of the state, fully 90 per cent are of second and third offense status.

STEAMER SWAN ON AN INSPECTION TRIP

The steamer Swan will leave Pittsburgh on Thursday on an inspection trip down the Ohio river. The party will consist of the office force of the Pittsburgh Federal offices. The boat will go down as far as Lock 3 on the Ohio.

Fire Insurance

Have you sufficient protection. Clyde B. Cope, Real Estate & Insurance 506 Fallowfield avenue. 4tf

For Your Awning

THIS SUMMER see
ROBERT CRAIG,
Phone 88-W, or drop a card to 313 Washington Ave.

ORDINANCE NO. 76

An ordinance levying the annual taxes for the year 1921, in the Borough of North Charleroi, for general borough purposes, and for the purpose of taking care of the bonded debt of the Borough, including redemptions, interest, state taxes, and sinking fund requirements for said year.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the Borough of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

Section I.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for general purposes, equal to Fifteen (15) mills on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for county purposes, an all property, offices, professions and persons made taxible by the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Section II.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for the purpose of providing for the bonded debt of the Borough, including redemptions, interest, state taxes and sinking fund requirements, equal to three (3) mills on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for County purposes, on all property, offices, professions and persons.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 6th day of June 1921.

James Reid
President of Council.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

Examined and approved by me this 6th day of June, 1921.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

P. E. Franks
Chief Burgess.

ORDINANCE NO. 77

An ordinance granting to the United States the right and privilege to construct, maintain, and operate a railroad trestle over and across Fifth Street for the transportation thereon of certain materials used in connection with Government work; also, the privilege to construct, maintain, and operate a narrow gauge railroad grade crossing across Fifth Street for the same purpose.

Whereas, the United States is the owner of certain land on either side of Fifth Street in the Borough of North Charleroi, upon which land it owns and operates a lock and dam and a boatyard, and

Whereas, railroad crossings over the above street are necessary for the efficient conduct of the Government work on account of the heavy materials to be carried, the council desiring to aid in this work, therefore,

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of North Charleroi in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

Section 1. That the consent of this Council be and the same is hereby given and granted unto the United States to erect an overhead railroad trestle and a grade crossing over and across Fifth Street, the railroad trestle to be at the river's edge and the grade crossing approximately 100 feet from that location; that the right and privilege herein granted and given to construct said overhead trestle and grade crossing may be exercised by the United States at any time hereafter and when said crossings shall have been erected the rights and privileges to maintain and operate the same for the purpose of transporting materials or other property to and from the land of the United States situated on either side of said street are hereby also granted and given.

Section 2. The United States is hereby given the privilege to enter upon said street and use so much thereof as may be reasonably necessary therein in the construction of said crossings and in the repair thereof from time to time as the same shall become necessary.

Section 3. It is hereby provided that upon the acceptance of this ordinance by the United States hereinafter set forth the said ordinance and said acceptance shall be and constitute a contract between the Borough and the United States in the premises.

Section 4. That the rights and privileges herein granted and given are so granted and given upon the following express conditions, to wit:

(A) That the United States, through its representative the District Engineer, United States Engineer Office, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, shall accept the provisions of this ordinance in writing, filed with the Borough Clerk within thirty days after the approval thereof by the Burgess; and upon the filing of said acceptance the Borough Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish that officer with a certified copy of this ordinance, with said acceptance endorsed thereon.

(B) That said overhead railroad trestle shall be constructed of good and substantial material and in accordance with plans submitted; that the grade crossings shall be in accordance with plans submitted; that the United States, in consideration of the low clearance and narrow openings permitted in the railroad trestle, obligates itself to handle over the trestle all materials being unloaded from or loaded onto boats at this point which on account of their width or height cannot be passed through the opening between the bents of the trestle; that the United States likewise obligates itself to maintain the grade crossing in satisfactory condition for the passage of vehicles across it.

(C) That the United States shall at all times hereafter protect, save and keep harmless the Borough of North Charleroi from any or all suits and actions which may be brought for the recovery of damages for personal injuries sustained either in the construction, maintenance or operation of said crossings.

Ordained and enacted into an Ordinance this 6th day of June, A. D. 1921.

James Reid,
President of Council.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Borough Clerk.

Examined and approved by me, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1921.

P. E. Franks,
Burgess.

ORDINANCE NO. 78

An ordinance authorizing and providing for the laying, building and maintaining of public sewers and branches on certain streets in the Borough of North Charleroi, specifying the several sizes and directing the borough clerk to advertise for bids for the material for same.

Be it ordained and enacted by the burgess and town council of the borough of North Charleroi and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1.

That the Borough Clerk is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for and receive proposals for the furnishing of material to be used in construction of a sanitary sewer, which is herein authorized to be laid upon the several streets and alleys hereafter specified, in accordance with the plans and specifications of the borough engineer, to be first approved by the Burgess and Town council and to enter into contract in conjunction with council with any responsible party, parties or corporation, such being the lowest and best bidder, or bidders for said material.

Section 2.

The sanitary sewer herein authorized to be constructed, to gather with its branches, shall be laid by the borough on and under the following several streets and alleys, between the points herein designated and shall be of the several dimensions herein particularly provided.

Highland avenue from 4th Street to 7th Street. 1265 feet of 8 inch in diameter.

Long Alley from 4th Street to 7th Street. 995 feet of 8 inches in diameter.

Sixth street from Conrad Avenue to Highland avenue. 280 feet of 8 inches in diameter.

Fifth street from Conrad avenue to Highland avenue. 280 feet of 8 inches in diameter.

Fourth Street North. 245 feet of 8 inches in diameter.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 6th day of June 1921.

James Reid,
President of Council.

Attest:
R. A. Metz.
Secretary.

Examined and approved by me this 6th day of June 1921.

P. E. Franks.
Chief Burgess.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Secretary

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Clara Schneider, deceased late of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

Letters testamentary upon the above estate having been granted to he undersigned, notice is hereby given to thos indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Carl W. Corwin,
Executor
711 Crest Avenue
Charleroi, Pa.

Guy Moffitt.

May 19-26-June 2-9-16-23

MONUMENTS— Remember the dead. W. S. Cook & Co., with Lawrence Frye Funeral Director.

Notice To Contractors

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Controller of Washington County, at his office, Court House, Washington, Pa., until 11:30 a. m., Tuesday, June 28th. 1921, and opened at 1 o'clock of same day, in the office of the County Commissioners, in the presence of the Directors of the Poor, for the repairs, alterations and improvements to the main building of the County Home, in accordance with plans and specifications adopted by the said Directors and approved by the State Board of Charities.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Architect, F. McCrooks, 541 Third avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., and the office of County Home, Arden, Pa.

A certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the amount of bid must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Same specificatons and plans as advertised May 2nd, 1921.

T. J. Underwood.
County Controller.

J-9-15-21-27

Dealers in School Supplies.

The Board of Directors of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pa., will receive sealed proposals for furnishing school supplies for the school term of 1921-22, said supplies being pens, penholders, pencils, paper goods, etc., until 8 o'clock, Monday evening, June 20, 1921. List of supplies and specifications can be had by applying to T. L. Pollock, Superintendent, Charleroi, Pa.

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Read the Classified column.

Mouth Curves.

Study the sweep of a bow held in place by a cord. It adheres to the rule, "Curves are the lines of beauty." The curve, wherever found on the human body, is soft and tender. It seems to be the blending of countless curves. So it is with the mouth. I once heard the mouth of a cruel, gossipy woman described as being "like a slit in a stone wall." I thought the phrase a very apt one.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Chief Executive's Simple Title.

The address of the President is simply "The President of the United States." There was debate over the title in the first congress. Some members proposed that he be addressed as "His Excellency," and others argued for "His Highness," but a committee reported that "it is not proper to annex any style or title other than that expressed in the Constitution."

"Fit for the Gods"

Fragrant woods have always been held in highest esteem among primitive people and were considered especially pleasing to the gods, says the American Forestry Magazine. Accordingly, they have figured prominently in their religious ceremonies and burial rites. Sandalwood is of the first rank.

Tibetan Remedies.

A Tibetan remedy for pains due to severe cold is the eye of a sheep mixed with fat and rubbed on the affected part. Centipede-skin plasters and dressings of fried mutton fat with chopped onions are also used by the mountaineers in Tibet for the same purpose.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Adevertisements of Old.

Advertisements were in vogue in ancient Egypt, Greece and Rome. On the walls of Pompeii have been found announcements of gladiatorial shows, with rough pictures of favorite gladiators, etc., anticipations of the modern poster.

At the post office a little girl deposited a dime in front of the clerk and said: "Please, I forgot the name of the stamp mamma told me to get, but it's the kind that makes a letter hurry up."—Boston Transcript.

Like Raspberry Jam.

Western Australia has a species of Acacia called raspberry jam wood because of its odor which is powerful and almost overpowering when the wood is freshly cut, says the American Forestry Magazine.

Knock at the Door to Get Out.

Greek and Roman doors invariably open outwards. A person passing out of a house is, therefore, obliged to knock on the door before opening it to avoid a collision with a passerby.

Filling Cracks With Paper.

Boil white paper in water five hours, then pour off the water and pound the pulp into a mortar; pass it through a sieve and mix with some gum water or isinglass glue.

Wonderful Transformation.

Figures from Maine show that capital of $8,000,000 is invested in the business of transforming the raw herring into the fried sardine.—Boston Transcript.

Needn't Worry About That.

A western man advertising for a wife says he wants a woman with ideas. He'll get that no matter what woman he marries.—Boston Transcript.

It's as Fickle as a Woman.

How can we expect the forecast officials to tell what the weather will do when the weather itself does not know?—Boston Herald.

And There You Have It.

Elizabeth, when asked the ages of her two brothers, answered, "I am bigger than the littlest one and littler than the biggest one."

Simco White Salve

For sore throat, croup, colds, influenza, and pneumonia. Strongly medicated. Pleasant vapors to inhale. Does not soil the skin or stain the most delicate lingerie. Manufactured by Wm. M. Simpson Drug Co., Wilkinsburg, Pa. For sale by Frank J. John. 14-1

Mr. Merchant: Let the people of Charleroi and vicinity know what you have to sell, and the advantages of dealing with you. Then there will be no need of knocking the mail order houses.

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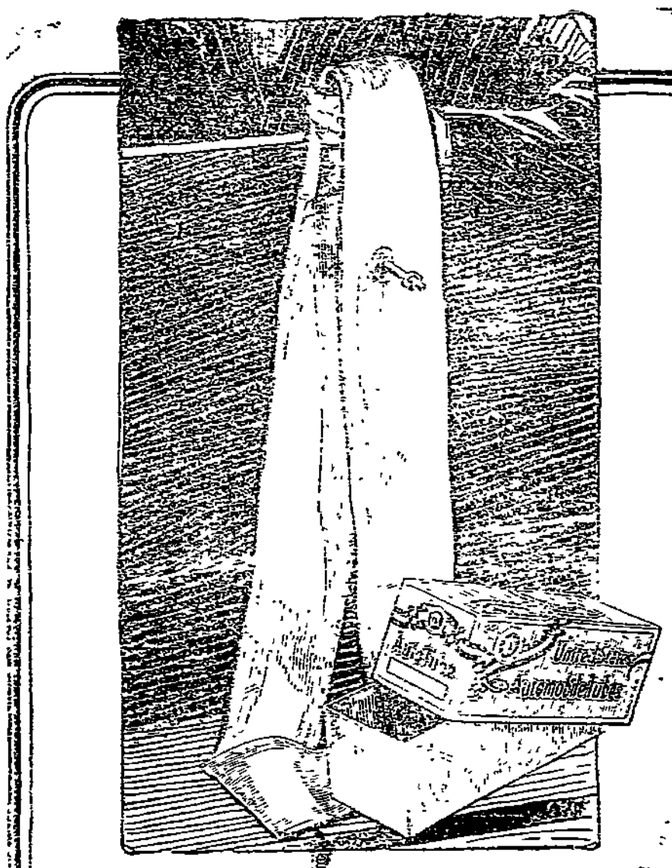

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